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Applicant : Gilbert Wolrich et al.

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Assignee: Intel Corporation

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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated December 31, 2002, be extended for two months to and including May 31, 2003.

Enclosed is a check for \$410 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 10559-133001.

Respectfully submitted,

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